

THE MIDDLEMAN.

Montreal, Oct. 8.—The most noteworthy statement during this morning's proceedings at inquiry into the affairs of the marine department by Judge Cassell, was made by a Sorel grocer named Lemire, to the effect that goods he had sold to the department included coal oil for the dredge of Imperial Oil company, and when Shamrock. He obtained the oil from asked why the government did not deal with the company, witness was unable to state the reason. He had received orders from the department amounting to about three thousand dollars, all, and his profits, he estimated, at about twenty per cent.

Olivier Dupuis, a wood merchant of Sorel, sold wood to the department on which he profited estimated to be between twelve and twenty per cent.

Jean Baptiste Assant, formerly of Sorel, had also sold wood to the department amounting in all to about twelve thousand dollars. Wood sold was not by tender but by fixed price. He desired having paid commission to anyone.

GRAND TRUNK STOCK COLLAPSES.

New York, Oct. 8.—The stock market report today says that the Grand Trunk's difficulties in relation to the Grand Trunk Pacific has caused a general collapse in the inside circles of that system, chiefly because of its G. T. stocks collapsing today in London from 50 to 5 points. It is predicted that the reason for the collapse was the announcement that a dividend had not been earned, but everybody knew weeks ago that a dividend was not earned.

Penny Wise

is a saving that does not save. There is no satisfaction or profit in saving a few cents on a prescription and getting medicine of an inferior quality. Unless medicine is skillfully compounded by experienced persons, it is costly at any price. The thing to look out for, to insist upon, is quality. Quality is the only thing to think of when we buy drugs. If you want the satisfaction of knowing that your prescription is absolutely right bring it here. The price will be reasonable, no more and no less than the drugs and work is worth. No one can fill a prescription as it ought to be filled for less than we shall charge.

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Give us men whose actions will be such that they will not need to spend all their time defending their actions and throwing mud at the other side.

Mr. J. G. Anderson will address a public meeting in the opera house, Strathcona, in the afternoon at 4 p.m. Evening at 8 p.m.

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Having accepted the appointment of organizer for Messrs. Hyndman and Day, the nominees of the Conservative party for the Edmonton and Strathcona constituencies, Mr. T. B. Thomas has signed invites all parties living in those constituencies interested in the next Federal election to send their names and addresses to him so that he may in due time send to them the name and address of the place where they will be able to record their vote, and he will also be prepared to give any information desired.

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Around the City

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The enumerators are busy today preparing the electoral lists for the federal elections. See that you are on.

Mr. John Walter has promised to keep the *Terrier* running until midnight on Tuesday next to accommodate Edmonton people attending the reception in connection with the University convocation.

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Premier Roblin will be in Strathcona next week and will address the electors in the opera house on Wednesday, Oct. 14th. He will be accompanied by Mr. Day, candidate for Strathcona constituency.

Attention is drawn to a notice inviting the citizens to the reception to be given by the Mayor and council to the members of the University convocation. It is desirable that as many of the citizens as possible should avail themselves of this invitation in order to show their interest in the convocation.

A mass meeting will be held in Knox Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening next at 7:30 in the interests of the Church's Missionary movement. One of the speakers to be present will be present to deliver an address on the aims and work of the organization. The Church of England will be glad to give the people an audience, Baptist, Methodist churches especially, to attend the meeting. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

Mr. J. G. Anderson, farmers' independent candidate, will address meetings in the opera House, on Saturday afternoon at four o'clock, and in the evening at eight o'clock. Mr. Anderson is a speaker of exceptional ability, and a hearty invitation is extended to the electors of Strathcona.

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WAR IS NOW LESS LIKELY.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 8.—The probability of war in the Balkans is now lessened, according to a dispatch received at the state department from Mr. Rivers, secretary of the American embassy at Vienna. Mr. Rivers made this statement after communicating to the department the announcement of the Emperor of Austria that he extends the right of sovereignty of himself and the house of Habsburg over Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Count Baron Homann, the Austrian-Hungarian ambassador, was a caller on Secretary Root at the State Department today.

Belgrade, Serbia, Oct. 7.—King Peter has just returned here from the army maneuvers. The senate has been summoned to deal with the present crisis. An office has been established in the principal square of the city for the enlistment of volunteers. The Hebrews of Belgrade have informed the government that in the event of war they will subscribe \$200,000 as a first contribution to the war fund.

Brigade, Serbia, Oct. 8.—The government has addressed an energetic protest to the signors of the Berlin treaty against Austria-Hungary's breach of the provision of the treaty in seizing the occupied provinces of Bosnia and Herzegovina. This step it is contended here, will prove fatal to the future of Serbia.

The Serbian parliament has been summoned in extraordinary session for Oct. 10.

The popular clamor for a war with Austria-Hungary continues unabated. Special steps have been taken to insure the safety of Austrians in Serbia.

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